

REMARKS

Claims 1-3, 12, 14 and 36-45 are pending in the application. This amendment supplements the amendment filed on June 8, 2004 and corrects the format of the amendments to comply with 37 CFR 1.173 and 35 USC 251. All of the new claims and claim amendments are supported by the original patent specification at col. 6, lines 42-64.

Claims 1-3, 12, and 14 have already been indicated as being allowed. Amendments have been made to claim 12 to rearrange some of the claim elements to make the claim easier to read. The sequence of the claim elements was already dictated by the language of the claim as previously presented, and therefore no new matter has been added. Claim 14 was amended to correct a formatting issue, and no new matter has been added.

Claims 36-45 correspond to claims 1-6 and 12-15 of U.S. Ser. No. 10/713,837, a pending continuation of the present application. These claims were indicated as being allowed in the 10/713,837 application, excluding any obvious-type double patenting objections with the present application. Claims 1-6 and 12-15 of U.S. Ser. No. 10/713,837 are being cancelled by amendment so that there will not be any statutory type double patenting.

All the pending claims have therefore been indicated as allowed, and a notice of allowance is respectfully requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the below listed telephone number, if needed.

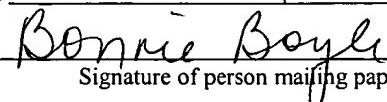
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